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Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the subject application is the executed Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status - Small Business Concern.

Respectfully submitted,

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